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NEWS RELEASE

Man Dies of Injuries Sustained in Accident

Date: July 20, 2016

Time: Approximately 10:00 a.m.

Location: 7100 Tierra Taos

Pedestrian: 82-year old Ralph Wallace of the 7100 block of Tierra Taos

Vehicle: 2016 Ford Edge

EL PASO, TEXAS: An 82-year old man has died after being struck by his own vehicle while attempting to back out of his garage. The investigation revealed that 82-year old Ralph Wallace was backing out of his garage on Wednesday morning when he noticed the passenger door was open. He got out of his car and walked behind it to close the door but failed to shift into park. As he walked behind the car, it rolled back and pinned him underneath. Mr. Wallace was transported to University Medical Center where he died on Thursday. As a private property accident, his death will not be added to the yearly total of traffic fatalities.

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